14 August 2015 - In the past 24 hours there has been some heavy rainfall across some parts of the UK

Thundery downpours affected the south east of England during Thursday leading to localised flooding across Kent and Sussex.

Overnight and through this morning the attention moved towards more northern and western parts of the UK, with flooding being reported across parts of the West Midlands and north west England.

UK rainfall totals 1am to midday 14 August 2015

Site	Area	Rainfall (mm)
Keele	Staffordshire	51.8
Pershore College	Hereford and Worcester	45.6
Newport	Shropshire	38.8
Rochdale	Greater Manchester	37.8
Astwood Bank	Hereford and Worcester	34.4
Waddington	Lincolnshire	30
Dunkeswell Aerodrome	Devon	29.2
Gringley-on-the-Hill	Nottinghamshire	28.6
Isle of Portland	Dorset	27.4
Spadeadam	Cumbria	27
Winchcombe	Gloucestershire	26.6
Usk	Monmouthshire	26.6
Hereford	Hereford and Worcester	25.6
Shobdon Airfield	Hereford and Worcester	25.2
Rostherne	Cheshire	25

During the rest of today the rain will slowly edge eastwards, with the possibility of some heavy rain over northern England and eastern Scotland.

Ahead of the rain, bright and warm weather may trigger a few heavy, thundery showers across eastern and south east England. Met Office National Severe Weather Warnings have been updated

Once the rain has passed we can expect to see an improvement in the weather for this weekend, with drier and brighter weather for much of the UK. Many will see some good spells of sunshine with temperatures back to near average for the time of year. The start of next week continues to look quiet in many areas although some rain may affect the far northeast of the UK.

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